ABSTRACT .

The present invention provides a novel method and system for effecting CDMA handoff transitions. In an embodiment, a converter is provided that converts a conventional CDMA trigger signal at a first frequency into the same handoff trigger signal but at second frequency. Where a subscriber station is operating in a coverage area at the second frequency, the received CDMA re-direction signal can be used to trigger the handoff of the subscriber station from the second frequency to the first frequency.